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☒ Applicant Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Number	09/310,965
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First Named Inventor	Stan Schall, Jr.
Examiner Name	Fenn C. Matthew
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1003	550	2003	275	Plant filing fee	
1004	790	2004	395	Reissue filing fee	
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
22	-22**=	X	
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Multiple Dependent			

Large Entity Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description
1202	50	2202	25	Claims in excess of 20
1201	200	2201	100	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	360	2203	180	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	200	2204	100	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	50	2205	25	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	2053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	2052	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	2052	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	2052	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	120	2251	60	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	450	2252	225	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	1,020	2253	510	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,590	2254	795	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,160	2255	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	500	2401	250	Notice of Appeal	
1402	500	2402	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	1,000	2403	500	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	500	2452	250	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,500	2453	750	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,400	2501	700	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	800	2502	400	Design issue fee	
1503	1,100	2503	550	Plant issue fee	
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1809	790	2809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1801	790	2801	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
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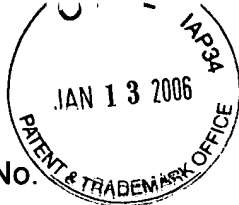
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PATENT

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Applicant : STAN SCHALL, JR.

Serial No. : 09/310,965

Examiner: Fenn C. MATHEW

Filed : May 13, 1999

Group Art Unit: 3764

For : EXERCISE APPARATUS

**AMENDMENT AFTER NEW GROUND OF REJECTION MADE IN DECISION ON
APPEAL UNDER 37 CFR §41.50(b)**

Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the new ground of rejection made in the Appeal Decision date November 17, 2005,¹ Applicant respectfully requests to reopen prosecution under 37 CFR §41.50(b). In view of reopening prosecution, Applicant requests that the above-identified patent application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.

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¹ Interestingly, PAIR shows the date of mailing as November 18, 2005 which is a day latter than the stamp date on the Decision on Appeal.